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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Wheeler were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheeler.

Richard E. O'Neil, South Portland, is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Paul King.

Mrs. Hugh Miller of Brownville Junction is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders.

Miss Betty Lou York of Salem General Hospital, Salem, Mass., was at home over the week end.

Mrs. Merile Wheeler returned home Wednesday after spending some time in the Norway Hospital.

Mrs. Richard Emerson and family, Burlington, Vt., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Conroy and two children of Reading, Mass., spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Sylvia Conroy.

Mrs. Daisy Kimball and Mrs. Lilla Stearns returned home Wednesday to Bethel after spending the winter months in Southern Pines, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bartlett and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Brown and Miss Donna Bartlett over the week end at Portsmouth.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Grenier were Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Silver, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Silver of Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cole, Jr., and daughter, have returned from Burlington, Vt. They are living in their trailer house on the Locke Mills Road.

Mrs. Kimball Ames, Mrs. Herbert Rowe, Mrs. Earl Davis spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fossett. Kimball Ames joined them on Sunday.

Week end guests of Mrs. Gladys Cross included Mrs. Gerald Chubb, Wilton; Mr. and Mrs. Orman Bennett, Canton; and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vashaw, Berlin, N. H.

Dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Robert York on Monday were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones of Auburn and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott and two children of Sumner, N. C.

Want some fun some afternoon? Why not come up and just browse around the Guest House Gift Shop? Open Monday and Wednesday afternoons and Saturday a. m. this month.

Week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kittredge were Almon and Mrs. Walter Kittredge of Brunswick, and Patricia Kittredge of Bangor.

A surprise coffee was given Mrs. Joan Lanni Tuesday morning by the Rumford Hospital Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. Vance Richardson. A gift was presented the honor guest by the group.

Mrs. Wendell Browster entertained the following at a dessert bridge Tuesday evening: Mrs. Louise Lincoln, Mrs. Caroline Brooks, Mrs. Pearlina McMullen, Mrs. Estelle Goggin, Mrs. Edith Rowe, Mrs. Barbara Douglass, Mrs. Mary Chadbourne, Mrs. Helen Jacobs, Mrs. Emily Saunders, Mrs. Eva Perry and Mrs. Dorothy Butler. High score was Mrs. Lincoln; second, Mrs. Brooks; low, Mrs. Chadbourne.

Mrs. Mamie E. Twitchell who is staying at the home of her daughter, Mrs. LeRoy Barker, observed her 85th birthday Saturday. She received many nice cards, gifts and flowers, also two birthday cakes. Relatives who came to see her were her daughter, Mrs. Edith Barker, Paris Hill, granddaughter, Mrs. Phyllis Lusselle and three children, Bolsters Mills, granddaughter, Mrs. Connie Bouchard and two daughters, Paris, and Mrs. Percy Twitchell, Norway. Also Nelson Durgin, her grandson, was home from Portland University.

BETHEL BASEBALL MEETING NEXT MONDAY EVENING

A meeting of all those interested in the organization of a local baseball team will be held at the Community Room on Monday evening, May 18, at 7 o'clock. All candidates are asked to be present of the meeting so that plans for the coming season may be started.

SPECIAL MEETING ON IMPROVING YOUR GROUNDS TO BE HELD TUESDAY

There will be a special meeting on "Improving Your Grounds" on Tuesday evening, May 19, at 7:30. The meeting will be held at Hancock Hall with Frank Hagan, County Agent, as speaker. He will speak on "Basic Improvements Including: Tree Planting, Location of Shrubs, and Care of Lawns." The public is invited to attend.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

Automobile junk yards or so-called "auto graveyards" have been steadily expanding and increasing along our highways. At a recent meeting of the Board of Selectmen this subject was discussed and it felt that the law covering the licensing of auto junk yards be enforced.

Chapter 100, Sections 137 to 144, cover the licensing and control of junk cars. Section 138 expresses very plainly what constitutes a junk yard, as follows: "No automobile junk yard or 'automobile graveyard'—so-called, where 3 or more unserviceable, discarded, worn out or junked automobiles or bodies or engines thereof are gathered together, shall be established, operated or maintained, or permitted to be established, operated or maintained without first obtaining a nontransferable permit to do so from the municipal officers."

Any persons desiring a junk yard license shall make application to the municipal officers, depositing a fee of \$10.00 plus costs of publishing a notice of hearing. A public hearing will be held after due notice which will give the public an opportunity to appear either for or against the issuing of a license. If the applicant is refused a license the \$10.00 is refunded.

Conditions on which a license may be granted are that in no case shall the junk yard be less than 500 feet from any state or state aid highway, if within view from said highway, except that upon condition the area to be occupied be kept entirely screened to ordinary view from the highway by natural objects or a 6 foot fence.

Sincerely,
Harold L. Bean

VOLUNTEERS ANSWER POPPY DAY CALL

A corps of volunteer workers has been recruited to bring memorial poppies to everyone on Poppy Day. To be observed here on Saturday, May 23, Mrs. Mary Cobb, Poppy Day Chairman of the American Legion Auxiliary has announced. The women volunteers will be on the streets throughout the day offering veteran-made poppies to be worn in honor of the nation's war dead.

Kathy Kittredge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kittredge, celebrated her tenth birthday with a supper party at her home Wednesday, May 13. Those present were: Mary Lowell, Maryvonne Wolfe, Wendy Wheeler, Vivian Brown, Carleen Mills, Jean Robertson and the honor guest.

BETHEL SCHOOL ANNUAL SPRING CONCERT, MAY 15th

Certain time for the annual musical spring concert will be 8 p. m. Friday, May 15th at the Wm. Bingham Gymnasium. The program is under the direction of Mrs. Charles Epper, Supervisor of Music.

The theme of the program was developed from class room correlation of Social Studies and music. Since music and dance are so closely related the program Friday night will be "spiced" with folk dances from the countries visited.

The third grade act focuses their interest on singing, rhythm games, rhythm band and folk dancing.

The instrumental group members are featuring the children who began instruction this year.

There will be surprises in the program too. Michele Farrar will dance the beautiful Polish Mazurka and Gretchen Dock will play a piano solo. These talented youngsters deserve recognition in their respective fields.

There are other highlights on the program, and these the town will not want to miss.

Donations of 25 cents a person may be given at the door. This will go into the Music fund. So much is needed for equipment such as tone blocks to aid off pitch singers in both schools; song flutes, a pre-band instrument; records, additional music and last but not least, school owned band instruments. For this reason, anyone wishing to give more than a 25 cent donation should contact the Music fund.

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THE WEEK IN OXFORD COUNTY

They were the children of George and Shirley Lyons Turner. There were several apartments in the building. Cause of the fire is unknown.

A brush fire at Rumford Corner Wednesday afternoon destroyed a quarter of an acre of scrub pine owned by John Zale before being extinguished by the Rumford Fire Department.

A drive for funds to back the newly organized Pony League team in Dixfield is being conducted. The drive is under the direction of the Morton Ellis VFW and the Lions Club.

Stephen H. Constantine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Constantine, of Rumford, was awarded the annual Oxford Mill Scholarship for four years of study at the University of Maine School of Technology. He is a senior at Stephens High School.

Sumner Turner, 2, and Peter Turner, 18 months, perished in a fire which destroyed a large wooden shack in Dixfield, Friday morning.

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Week End Fires Damage Woods

Showers Monday night and Tuesday ended an extended dry period in this area when much of the New England woodland was in the "Class 5—explosive" condition.

Fires in Oxford County included a 400 acre blaze on land of Charles Bartlett in Roxbury starting Saturday, and Sunday 10 acres in Fryeburg, 60 acres in Brownfield, and an area two miles long and nearly a mile wide on Pleasant Mountain in Denmark.

The Roxbury fire was fought by between four and five hundred men, with several fire departments and units of the Forest Service. Several hundred firefighters were engaged at the Denmark fire, which a brisk wind carried well up on one of the peaks of the mountain.

ELEANOR GORDON GUILD MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET

The Eleanor Gordon Guild held their annual "Mother and Daughter Banquet" on Wednesday evening, May 13. A delicious dinner was served the group by Circle 5 at the Congregational Church. "Welcome to Mothers" was given by Mrs. Lawrence Bailey. Response was given by Mrs. William Young. Grace was led by Mrs. Seymour Butters.

Those present were: Mrs. Malcolm Mundt, Mrs. Frank Maglin of Westbrook, Mrs. Gladys Bean, Mrs. Albert Buck, Mrs. Archie Young Sr., Mrs. Archie Young Jr., Mrs. Bella Miller of Brownville Junction, Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Mrs. Robert York, Mrs. Seymour Butters, Mrs. Ernest Blake, Mrs. Rena Abbott of Rumford Center, Mrs. Avery Angeline, Mrs. Elwin Brown Jr., Mrs. John Greenleaf, Mrs. Julia B. Brown, Mrs. Madeline Emery, Mrs. Ernest Perkins, Mrs. Phillipa Brooks, Mrs. William Young, Mrs. Lawrence Bailey, Mrs. Pearl Anderson of Norway, Mrs. Lawrence Young, Mrs. Donald Walker, Mrs. Leslie Poore, Mrs. Robert Crofton, Mrs. Albert Crofton, Mrs. Guy Parker Jr., Mrs. Harold Stevens, Mrs. Clarence Howe, Mrs. William Ward, Mrs. Ruth Wilkinson, Mrs. Gayland Doon, Mrs. Kimball Ames, Mrs. Stanley Davis, Mrs. Earl Davis, Mrs. Robert Kingston, Mrs. Dan Forbes, Mrs. Frank Lowell, Mrs. Richard Bean, Mrs. Gladys M. Johnson, Mrs. Esron Paine, Mrs. Ruth Dorion, Mrs. Floyd Bartlett, Mrs. Ormand Smart of Buxton.

LADIES CLUB COMMITTEES FOR SUMMER SALE NAMED

The pleasant cottage of Beatrice Brown was the meeting place for the Ladies Club of the Congregational Church of May 7. A covered dish luncheon was eaten on the porch overlooking Congo Pond.

These committees were appointed by the president to serve at the mid-summer sale July 10.

For the special attraction, hot doughnuts: Betty Laws, Edith Thorne, Florence Swift, Beatrice Brown.

Approx. Ada Dorell, Bessie Stanley, Stella Moore.

Gifts: Betty Soule, Gertrude Boyker, Ruth Carter, Ava Austin, Candy Edith Howe, Clara Perrin, Ferial Godwin.

Food: Leonora Knowles, Edith Brown, Mary Ladd, Rose Bartlett, Phyllis Edith Howe, Jane Van, Florence Swift.

White Elephant, antiques and jewelry: Grace Merrill, Beatrice Brown, Lucia Tikander, Nell Valentine.

Books: Pearl Tibbets.

Coffee and sandwiches will be on sale.

Program for next Club year: Ruth Carter, Beatrice Brown, Grace Merrill, Betty Soule, Abbie Valley.

G. L. KNEELAND, D. O.

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Lloyd Lowell

Loam FOR SALE

Roderick McMillin

or

Lloyd Lowell

BETHEL BRANCH, RED CROSS, MEETS MONDAY EVENING

The annual meeting of the members of the Bethel Branch of the South Oxford County Chapter, American National Red Cross, was held at the home of Mrs. Barbara Douglass, Monday evening, May 11. The treasurer's report accounting for Swim Classes, School Aids, Fire Cases Aided and other assistance, leaving a balance of \$22.11 was approved.

Chairman Clifford Laws reported collections for the 50 drive totaled to date \$397.01 which is considerably below our quota. He expressed his deep appreciation for the cheerful work of the captains and teams in the drive and for the generosity of the contributing members.

As previously published the Swimming report showed 1783 lessons given. 170 completed the course, 32 were never absent and 118 earned certificates. We are again looking for a qualified instructor for this season. Mrs. Bisee reported a number of Home Service Aids to veterans and the distribution of three layettes.

The nominating committee's report was read and the following officers elected: Clifford Laws, chairman; Donald Christie, vice chairman; Barbara Douglass, secretary; Kimball Ames, treasurer; Ethel Bisee, Home Service Chairman; Janet Richardson, Production chairman; Edmond Vachon, Junior Red Cross chairman. The present disaster committees were re-appointed.

MS CAMPAIGN TO BE HELD THROUGH JUNE 21

The Multiple Sclerosis Hope Chest Campaign will be conducted from May 18th through June 21. 40% of all funds are sent direct to the National Society to be used for the advancement of research; 60% retained for chapter work in Maine.

The Maine Chapter has more than 400 MS patients on chapter files at the present time and estimates more than 1200 in Maine.

The chapter works closely with State agencies to assist all MS patients in rehabilitation and chronic care. The chapter is supported by the annual MS Hope Chest Campaign, conducted by volunteers, which is a direct appeal to the citizens in this state to fight Multiple Sclerosis. The Bethel Chairman is Mrs. Arthur F. Lincoln.

RIVERSIDE CEMETERY ASSN. OFFICERS ELECTED

At the annual meeting of the Bethel Riverside Cemetery Assn., the following officers were elected:

Kimball Ames, Pres.

Charles Tack, Vice Pres.

Paye S. Taylor, Sec. and Treas.

Directors: Harold Bennett, E. Linwood Brown, Albert Silver, Abbie Taylor, Paul C. Thurston.

The completion of the receiving tomb was confirmed.

MUNDT-ALLEN UNIT, LEGION AUXILIARY, ELECTS OFFICERS

The American Legion Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. James Lancaster, South Paris, May 12. A hot lunch supper preceded the meeting. Mrs. Frances Bennett and Mrs. Josephine Tripp were appointed to audit the Treasurer's books.

The officers were elected for the coming year as follows: President, Mrs. Mary Cobb, 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Mary Kendall, 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Sarah Grover, Secretary, Mrs. Hilda Donahue; Treasurer, Mrs. Pearlina McMullen; Chaplain, Mrs. Josephine Tripp; Historian, Mrs. Albert Angeline; Sergeant-at-Arms, Mrs. Adeline Dexter. The mystery package was won by Mrs. Hilda Donahue.

East Bethel School To Remain Open

The Bethel School Committee, believing that a vote on closing the East Bethel School at a special town meeting would not result in a true expression of the feeling of the town as a whole, has voted to allow the school to remain open for the next school year. A vote will be taken at the next annual town meeting, at which time many facts now not too well understood, can be more accurately clarified.

TWO SUNDAY FIRES

Grease ignited on the kitchen stove was the cause of damage estimated at \$100 at the home of Rodney Eames on Chapman Street Sunday morning. After the grease blaze was extinguished the fire in the kitchen wall was quenched by nine-year-old Billy Eames who brought in the garden hose. The fire alarm was sounded but the call was cancelled after the tank truck was dispatched to the scene.

Sunday afternoon the firemen were called for a woods fire near the home of Richard Brown, Robertson Hill. The fire, said to have originated from a bomb used to exterminate woodchucks, was confined to a small area.

MRS. HAROLD MERRILL

Mrs. Mary Stearns Merrill, wife of Harold Merrill, died at Sweden Monday after a brief illness. She was formerly the tax collector and treasurer of Sweden for 20 years.

She was born in Bethel Nov. 4, 1874, the daughter of Newton and Anna Brown Stearns.

Mrs. Merrill was a member of the Bethel Congregational Church, of the Sweden Community Club, and of Delta Chapter, No. 128, O. E. S., at Lovell.

Besides her husband she leaves two sons, Max Verrill of Center Harbor, N. H., and Albert Verrill of Texas; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Flint of South Portland and Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett of Bethel, a stepson, Roger Merrill of Sweden; eight grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

SURPRISE HOUSE-WARMING GIVEN MR. AND MRS. HARLAN HUTCHINS THURSDAY EVE

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hutchins were honored last Thursday evening at a surprise house-warming party at their new home on Clark Street.

The event was planned by the employees of the North Waterford pumping station. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins were presented a gift. A hot lunch supper was followed by a social evening.

Present besides the honor guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Strout, Mr. and Mrs. Paul King, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold K. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Royer, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Eames, Ruel Swan, Arlan Jodrey, all of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bowman, and Mr. and Mrs. William Claver of North Waterford, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perkins, West Paris; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Francis Wiles, Norway. Unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hutchinson, North Waterford, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hicks, South Paris.

Tom Edward Bean has been transferred from Norfolk, Va., to Key West, Fla.

DANCE

SAT., MAY 16 9 to 12

SONGO LAKE PAVILION

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Cauliflower, Celery, Lettuce

Petunia, Aster, Geranium

Snapple

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SEASON MEMBERSHIPS NOW AVAILABLE

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and

BETHEL INN BEACH CLUB

Haydn S. Pearson

COUNTRY FLAVOR
MIRACLES OF GRASS

The Master Weaver throws the shuttle with increasing momentum and a green carpet is again woven over fields and meadows, upland pastures and mountain clearings.

Grasses are Earth's humble plants, children of that vast group of herbaceous plants which form much food for man and his animals. Many do not know that the same family includes a large and important group of food crops: cereals, oats, barley, wheat, rye, sugarcane and hemp.

"Grass is the forgiveness of nature her constant benediction," wrote John J. Ingalls. Grasses are meek plants and they have inherited large areas of Earth. A grass is a simple plant with solid joints and two-ranked leaves, one at each joint. They are uniquely functional and fitted to survive over a wide range of geographical conditions.

Grasses are wind pollinated; hence they need neither flowers nor nectar to attract insects. The "monocarpous" flower has a single stamen and usually there are three stamens in each blossom to furnish essential pollen. There are probably more than 5000 species of grasses in the world and many of the names are appealing: swollen fingergrass, yellow foxtail, York-shire cockfoot, weeping lovegrass, meadow grass, needle and thread, nuttall's bluegrass and silver beardgrass.

It is estimated that grassland covers more than a billion acres in the United States. Grass grows well over fields and meadows, upon the Master Weaver will finish weaving the new covering for hilltops and ridges. Soon we can walk abroad and watch waves of green grass rippling across the fields. We take grass for granted but they play a pivotal

MAN'S RECIPE
HUNNY ACRES
HINT-BARD-GINGER JAM

I hope you appreciate what you are about to read. One of my tribulations in life is the attitude I sometimes encounter when I announce a project in the culinary realm.

It was difficult enough at the age of 50 or so when I took up cooking as a hobby. Three loving, but opinionated and articulate sisters through it was a hilarious situation. Only a man with three sisters and no brothers appreciates what I've been through the last few years.

Blanche's attitude was much better—slightly skeptical but cooperative. The neighbor girls up and down the street smiled—that tolerant, amused smile that all men know. But I notice that when I have worked out a formula they are perfectly willing to sample it. I have worked on this for four years and it is with pleasure and some degree of satisfaction I present it to all rhubarb fans. I have never read anything just like this.

Use two pounds sliced rhubarb, two pounds sugar, three fourths ounce of crystallized candied ginger cut in small bits.

Mix rhubarb, sugar and ginger in a glass container, and let the mixture stand for at least 24 hours. Stir occasionally, but you don't need to get up at night to stir it. Rhubarb mixture over moderate heat to jam consistency. Pour into hot jars and seal with paraffin. If you are especially fond of ginger, if you want just a whisper of ginger flavor to go with the rhubarb, cut in one half ounce ginger. This is super on the Epic Oatmeal Muffins.

role in man's control of his environment.

BETHEL SCHOOL CONCERT

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ent donation for this program will be helping an excellent cause.

The school wishes to recognize the work of the teachers: Mrs. Frankie Howe, Mrs. Maxine Brown of the third grade; Mrs. Ruth King, Mrs. Alice Hallard, fourth; Mrs. Ruth Hastings, Mrs. Abby Wainwright, fifth; Mrs. Doris Lord, Miss Helen Varner, sixth grades.

Organizing committee, Mrs. Edward Vachon, Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. Harold Wolfe, Mrs. Frank

Lowell, Mrs. John Tabbels, Mrs. Edward Wheeler, Mrs. Charles Farrar, Mrs. Eriand Paine and Mrs. Sylvia Sloan.

Decorations: Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hendon.

Patrons: Guy Parker, Jr. A very special recognition goes to Mrs. Susan Farrar, of the School of Dance for her direction of the folk dancing and for the special dance numbers. She also will be acting as stage manager.

There will be a matinee Friday May 15th at 1:30 for the children of the school.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Wasteful Overflow

WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres.

David Head is attending the National School of Heavy Equipment in Charlotte, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert were at Portland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert and family, Westbrook, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morrill, Thursday and Friday.

Arthur Head has returned home from a trip to Charlotte, N. C., Washington, D. C., and Weston, Mass.

Mrs. Paul Head, who has been visiting her brother and sister at Weston, Mass., has returned home.

Miss Ruth Hall of Bethel spent Thursday with Mrs. Lona Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wolfe returned home Monday from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wolfe and family at Vernon, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Walker were at Dixfield Friday.

Sgt. and Mrs. James Blaquiere and family, Norway, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis Wednesday night. Sgt. Blaquiere

was returned to Valley Forge, Pa., for reassignment.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker and family were at Sheldburne, N. H., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton were at Dixfield Friday, called there by the death of her brother, Charles Ford.

Fred Ford of Dixfield is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert and family and Mrs. Mary Abbott were at Lancaster, N. H., Saturday.

Jerome Blankenship, U. S. Navy, Boston, spent the week end with Franklin Baris and family.

Raymond Coulombe of Boston spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Coulombe.

Mrs. Wilbur Davis was at Norway Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marie Graves, Jr., were at Rockland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutchinson and family have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hutchinson for several days.

Mrs. Mary Abbott and Mrs. Lona Gilbert were dinner guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Morrill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Westfield were at Lewiston Saturday with Mrs. Albe McAllister.

Mrs. Barton Newton was at Norway Saturday.

Work was started Monday on reconstructing the flat flood for about one-quarter of a mile beginning at Head's Store. It is being built up to prevent water flowing in the area making rough traveling through the winter.

MAINE FAIR DATES

Bangor Fair, Bangor, Aug. 3-8

Northern Maine Fair Assoc., Presque Isle, Aug. 10-15

Princeton Fair Assoc., Princeton, N. H., Aug. 14-15

Shoeburgh State Fair, Shoeburgh, Aug. 15-20

Washington County Agricultural Fair, Machias, Aug. 18-22

Knock Agricultural Society, Union, Aug. 20-24

Piscataquis Valley Fair Assoc., Troy-Foxcroft, Aug. 28-29

Calvary Town Fair Assoc., Inc., Calvary, Aug. 28-30

Town County Agricultural Assoc., Acton, Aug. 28-30

South Kennebec Agricultural Soc., Windsor, Sept. 1-7

Wichfield Farmers Club Fair, Wichfield, Sept. 4-5

Wassonville Valley Fair, Athens, Sept. 4-5

Hancock County Agricultural Society, Blue Hill, Sept. 4-7

North Penobscot Agricultural Assoc., Springfield, Sept. 5-7

Maine State Fair Assoc., Lewiston, Sept. 7-12

Guilford Athletic Assoc., Guilford, Sept. 12

Headfield Orange Fair Assoc., Headfield, Sept. 12

Oxford County Agricultural Soc., Norway St. Paris, Sept. 15-18

West Washington Agricultural Soc., Cherryfield, Sept. 14-19

Cockburnham Agricultural Assoc., Cockburnham, Sept. 14-19

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TODAY'S Meditation



THE WORLD'S MOST WIDELY USED DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

Read I Peter 4:12-19.

If any man suffer as a Christian, let him not be ashamed; but let him glorify God on this behalf. (I Peter 4:16.)

Of a cold winter's day, St. Francis of Assisi and Brother Leo were walking together. For a time they traveled in silence. Then Francis began to talk about the nature of real joy. He said one does not find perfect joy by setting a good example, nor by doing miracles, nor by having great knowledge, nor by the ability to preach so that infidels become converted.

"If these things do not give perfect joy, where can it be found?" asked Brother Leo.

Francis answered that perhaps they might come to their next stopping place, cold and hungry and

cooked with rain. The porter might refuse to let them in. He might accuse them of being good-for-nothing. St. Francis said if they could bear his abuse with patience and not think badly of him, then they would experience perfect joy.

It is in willingly enduring all things for Jesus' sake which makes a Christian joyful. Nothing then defeats him, for he belongs to his Lord.

PRAYER: O loving God, forgive us our sins against Thee. Grant that the joy which was in the heart of Jesus may be in our hearts, too. Give us strength and courage necessary to endure all things for His sake. In His blessed name we pray. Amen.

Thought For The Day

I will live today for Christ's sake and not for my own.

Raymond W. Fenn (Nova Scotia)

CHURCH NEWS

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH

Richard M. Hamilton, Pastor

Sunday, May 17: 9:45 a. m. Church School Session. 11:00 a. m. Children's Day Conference.

6:30 p. m. Senior and Intermediate B.Y.F.

May 20-24: Annual Maine Conference of the The Methodist Church held at Calvary Methodist Church in Lewiston, Maine.

Thursday, May 21: 7:00 p. m. Adult Choir Rehearsal. 7:30 p. m. Monthly meeting of the WCCS at the home of Mrs. Richard Hamilton.

WEST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Clifford W. Laws, Minister

Sunday, May 17: Morning Worship, 11:00. Sermon theme, "Broken Chains."

Church Nursery, 11:00. Pilgrim Fellowship, 6:30.

Thursday, May 21: 7:30 p. m. Club, annual meeting and luncheon.

Sunday, May 24, will be Children's Day. Parents having children to be baptized should notify the Cradle Roll Supp. Mrs. Charles Helms.

CATHOLIC SERVICES

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered Sunday at 9:00 in the Legion Hall. The Guild Academy students will receive Religious Instructions after Mass.

Children in elementary grades of Bethel have catechism at 10:00 A. M. Saturday at Mrs. Virgie McGillin's on Bridge St.

The Legion of Mary will meet each Tuesday at 7:30 P. M. at Mrs. Virgie McGillin's.

The Promoters of the League of the Sacred Heart meet the third Sunday of the month after Mass.

Preparation for First Holy Communion given at the home of Mrs. Corinne at 10 a. m. Saturday.

MUSICAL

There will be a Musicals, May 20, at 7:30, at the home of Mrs. John Tribble. The program for the two piano concert is as follows: Adagio, Bach; Concerto in G major; Marche, Halvorsen; Marche, Walther; Chopin: Ballade No. 1 in F major; Grandmarche by Milhaud; Assisted by Margaret Dean, conductor, who will sing a group of Scotch Folk Songs.

At the piano will be Florence Pike Twilich, teacher of piano, of Norway, and Betty Tabbels, church director for the West Parish Church, Bethel.

Moosmoor, Sept. 18-19

Franklin County Agricultural Soc., Farmington, Sept. 22-24

Camden Farmers Club, Camden Center, Sept. 26-Oct. 3

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Gregory Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bryant, celebrated his sixth birthday with a supper party held at Chapman Clock

Camp on Saturday, May 9. Those present were: Craig Davis, James Haskell, John Truitt, David York, Jimmy Thurston, Larry Brown, Burton Mills and Greg and Cassa Bryant. Unable to attend was David Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kendall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Cross and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Cross and Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cross, Diane Cross, Norma Cross, and Mrs. Gladys Cross attended the wedding of John Ross Langley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Margaret Langley, of Denmark, to Roger (Archibald) of North Conway, on Sunday.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

(Mankind's need for spiritualization of thought will be emphasized in Christian Science churches Sunday in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Mortals and Immortals.")

Golden Text: "They which are the children of the flesh, these are not the children of God." (Romans 8:8).

ORTHODOX

PRESBYTERIAN CHAPEL

At the Universalist Church. Gene Jarvis, minister.

Calvin Cole, organist. Church Service, 10 o'clock. Sunday School, 11 o'clock.

Bible study and prayer meeting. Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, Railroad St.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH

Grant Kirker, Pastor

Mrs. Paul Head, Sunday School Supervisor

Mrs. George Stowell, Jr., Organist

9 a. m. Sunday School. 10 a. m. Worship Service. 4 p. m. Junior Youth Group. 5 p. m. Maple Grove Youth Fellowship.

LOCKE MILLS UNION CHURCH

Sunday School, 9:30 to 10:20 a. m. Richard Melville, Superintendent.

Worship Service, 11:30 to 12:30. Grant Kirker, Jr., Pastor.

BRYANT POND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Services at 9:30, Sunday morning. Charles Partridge, guest speaker.

Sunday School at 10:45. Mrs. Gertrude Andrews, Capt. Mrs. Adeline Mann, Organist for Church and Sunday School. Chorus rehearsed at home of Mrs. Mann, Tuesday evening.

Food Sale at Carle's IGA Store, Saturday, May 23, starting at 10 o'clock.

WEST PARISH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Albert Coffey, Minister

Thursday, May 14, 3rd Cadets at Chapel at 5:45 p. m.

Friday, 5:30 p. m. The Pastor Class of West Parish High School will be the guests of the Greater Youth Fellowship at a Semi-Formal Banquet at the 1000 Hall, Grand St., Portland, will be the guest speaker.

Saturday, 7:30 p. m. The West Parish Baptist Church will be the host to Youth for Christ guest speaker, Harold Hoff.

Sunday, May 17, Worship service at 9 a. m.; Sunday School, 10:15. Wednesday 6:30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal: 7:30, Hour of Prayer.

WEST PARISH METHODIST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Felix Mayhew, Minister

Sunday, 9:15 a. m. Sunday School; 10:30, Worship; 1:30 p. m. Gospel radio broadcast; Thursday, 7:30, weekly prayer service.

WEST PARISH FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Supply Minister

Sunday, 9:30 a. m. Sunday School; 10:30, Worship; Monday 8:30 p. m. Forward Fellowship will go to McManis Restaurant at Westbrook, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Rev. Elsworth B. Forbes Class at the home of Miss Nina Bradford and Miss Florence Ralph.

NORTH PARISH FEDERATED CHURCH

Rev. Albert Coffey, Minister

Thursday, May 14, 3rd Cadets at Chapel, West Parish; Friday, 6:30 p. m. Senior Class semi-formal banquet at 1000 Hall, West Parish; Sunday, May 17, 9 a. m. Sunday School; 11:15, Worship; Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting.

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Flaming Arrow Patrol met at Richard Jacobs' house Monday after school. We worked on our badge and flag. Three were present: Grabe, Paul Vachon.

We met at K. Barnes and opened the meeting with the pledge to the flag and the Cub Scout pledge. We had refreshments and practice games and songs out of doors. Long Paul, Keeper of the Back-Back Ten No. 1.

On Wednesday, May 13, we met at the home of Virginia Hutchins. We opened our meeting with the pledge to the flag. Then we made

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Both divisions of Browne Troop 8 met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Merrill with 22 members and two guests present. Refreshments were enjoyed followed by a trip to Bryant Pond on the train. We all found this trip very entertaining and we would like to thank Mrs. Pitt, Mrs. Tibbets, Mrs. Saunders, Norma Crooks and Mrs. Merrill for transporting us to and from the station.

The second grade Brownies met at the Primary School Tuesday with all members present. Mrs. Barbara Lucas acted as assistant leader. The girls worked on their tote bags and nature charts. Refreshments were brought by Cindy Brooks, Anita Young and Beverly Coolidge.

The Early Birds 441 Club met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Rodney Howe, May 10, Saturday evening. President Gregory Howe called the meeting to order. We are going to have a rummage sale May 23, Saturday afternoon, at Alder River Grange. Mrs. Howe looked over their record sheets. The next meeting will be May 16, Saturday evening, at Mrs. Rodney Howe's. Club Reporter, Ned Dana Olson.



The home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown or Chapman. Street which they have occupied since October 1954.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Imman, Cotres.

A special birthday party, honoring the pupils of Grade three and four, was held at the North Paris School House, Friday afternoon. The party was arranged by their teachers, Mrs. Adeline Stevens and Mrs. Doris Slattery, assisted by the room mothers, Mrs. Bette Marshall, Mrs. Helen Farrar, Mrs. Marian Chase, and Mrs. Ruth Hazelton. The entertainment included viewing of slides with Mrs. Slattery as narrator, birthday song and the presentation of gifts. Names had previously been drawn for gift exchange. Mrs. Stephens presented her pupils with fancy egg cups, while Mrs. Slattery presented her pupils blocks of note paper. Teachers and room mothers also received gifts. Individual birthday cakes decorated with some and small candles, made by the room mothers, were served with punch.

About 29 young women of the Forward Fellowship met at the Universalist Church Monday evening, where they accomplished a worthwhile project. The entire church was cleaned which includes main auditorium, ladies parlor, entrance hall, stairways, kitchen, Good Will Hall closets, etc.

Announcements have been received of the birth of a daughter, Kathy, to Alvin 2nd and Mrs. Philip Daniels, 240 and 242 Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Ward, West Paris.

Mrs. Nancy Strout was the guest of honor at a star shower at the home of Mrs. Martha Hollis, Monday night.

Good Will AWW met at the home of Mrs. Martha Hollis, Wednesday evening. Roll call was answered with a favorite poem. Mrs. Myrtle Donkey presented devotion. Mrs. Mary Perham gave a report on State Convention. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Dona Emery and Mrs. Myrtle Donkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Heath are

BETHEL SCHOOL NEWS

Grade 6—Mrs. Doris Lord

We are pleased that Alan Gann won the prize for selling the most paper tickets. He sold many in Bethel and vicinity. Last Monday night he turned the money in. He was very happy to have won. Alan is a very good boy. He is very helpful and is a very good student. He is very popular and is very well liked. He is very smart and is very well educated. He is very kind and is very well behaved. He is very honest and is very well known. He is very brave and is very well respected. He is very strong and is very well built. He is very fast and is very well trained. He is very good and is very well liked. He is very smart and is very well educated. He is very kind and is very well behaved. He is very honest and is very well known. He is very brave and is very well respected. He is very strong and is very well built. He is very fast and is very well trained. He is very good and is very well liked.

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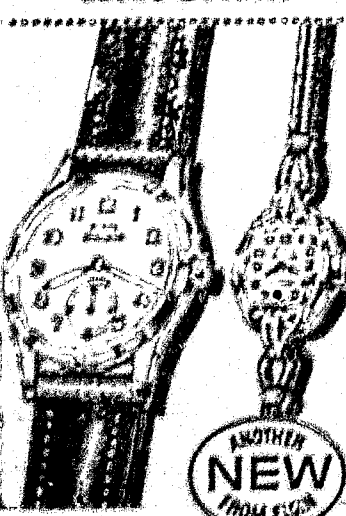
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"April Harvest," by Lillian Budd. "April Harvest" is a novel of fulfillment, the harvest of a woman's life, the harvest of the immigration, the harvest of the Promise of America.

"One Saint and Seven Sinners," by Eileen Beavo Hall and his vivid portrait of the life of a Baptist preacher's family, here warmly portrayed by one of his daughters. It is also the picture of a way of life that is forever gone, even though the story took place only about 50 years ago.

"The White House and Its Thirty-Two Families," by Amy Lafollette Jensen.

Young People:

"Jeremy Charen," by Joyce Colman-Smith.

"The Story of the Second World War," by Katherine Savage.

"Your Trip Into Space," by Lynn Poole.

"Jet Pilot," by Henry B. Lent.

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by Willard A. Wright (Forest Nursery Supt.)

It was decided in August 1956 that Maine needed, and was to have, Soil Bank Nursery, that would produce 10,000,000 trees per year.

The State Forest Nursery at Orono could produce no more than 600,000 trees per year with no room to expand. If we were to produce 10,000,000 trees per year a suitable area had to be located. It was decided to keep this nursery within 20 miles of the University of Maine to make it easier to obtain assistance on insect and disease problems. Many sites were checked for soil types and the availability of water for irrigation before the present site at Greenbush was decided on.

The nursery site at Greenbush is located two miles east of Orono village on a black top road. Orono village is just off Route 2 about 30 miles North of Bangor. This is in an area that has many farms that have not been cultivated for some time, and the fields are starting to fill in around the edges with bushes. Several of these farms were purchased with state funds. All cost for developing the nursery was taken care of with federal funds under the Soil Bank Program.

In the fall of 1956 a ten acre field was plowed and prepared for seeding. About three acres of this was fall seeded to Red and White Pine and the remainder of this site was seeded the following spring. During the fall of 1956, while the land was being prepared for planting, a one acre farm pond was made. At the same time plans were drawn for a nursery building, but very little was done on the construction until the spring of 1957.

The nursery building is 125'x28', one and one-half story with a basement. The basement contains a cold storage room 50'x50' for holding trees during the winter so they can be shipped early in the spring. The remainder of the basement is used for a repair shop for maintenance of machinery. The first floor has a room for sorting and counting the seedlings before packaging them for shipment, and the office and another room where seed extraction work is done.

The cones that are collected for seed extraction are dried in the attic on the second floor. Approximately 1,000 bushels of White Pine cones and 50 bushels of White Spruce cones were collected in the early fall of 1958. Seeds extracted from these cones will be used for future plantings at the nursery.

During the summer of 1957, two more ten acre plots were plowed and worked over prior to planting in the fall or spring of 1958. The 20 acres were planted in the spring of 1958, this made a total of 30 acres in trees for the summer of 1958 that had to be worked over in preparation for fall planting. Two acres of this was fall seeded and three more acres will be seeded in the spring of 1959.

During the summer of 1959 we will have one, two, and three year seedlings in the nursery. The three year old seedlings will be shipped in the fall of 1959, or in the spring of 1960. This should be about 6,000,000 trees available for planting at this time consisting of 1958 and 1959.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following persons have been appointed as administrators of the estates of the following persons who have died:

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By Martha Johnson
Dodge Safety Consultant

THE NAVIGATOR for the family car probably has the same trouble I used to have. How to read complicated road maps!

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The more important the road the thicker the line on the map. Different kinds of lines indicate the type of road.

Here's a special helpful trick I find useful. I turn the map so the highway I am traveling is pointing the same way as the road on the map. Although the names may be sideways or upside down, it makes it easier to know if a right or left turn is coming up.

While on the highway I keep in mind that several routes may share the same section of the road, so I look for signs indicating where the route turns or changes.

As I found out, a little concentration and practice are all that is needed to become a first-class navigator.

GARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks to all those people who so kindly remembered me during my stay in the hospital. Also to Mrs. Adelle Saunders for all the beautiful flowers.

Norma Ford

Sincerity is to speak as we think, to do as we pretend and profess, to perform what we promise, and really to be what we would seem and appear to be.—John Tillotson

The sincere alone can recognize sincerity.

White Pine along with White and Norway Spruce.

The Soil Bank plan up for the state through 1959 is 18,000 acres, of these requests less than 1,000 acres have been planted to date. Approximately one-half of this acreage was planted in Central and Western Maine. It looks now as if we would plant nearly 1,000 acres of Soil Bank land next spring. If we are able to get what trees we plan to buy.

It is not planned at this time to seed any more acres at the nursery for Soil Bank trees. What we have planted to be ready in 1961 and 1962 should take care of the land signed up to date. In the spring of 1961, we will have about 8,000,000 trees and another 7,000,000 in the spring of 1962.

At this time the plans are to continue growing trees for planting other than for the Soil Bank. In future years we expect to make available from 3,000,000 to 5,000,000 trees a year to take care of normal Maine tree planting requests.—Waterville Morning Sentinel, Feb. 26, 1959

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Mrs. Agnes Noble and Mrs. Bernard Brown of Kennebunk were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Maggie Newton.

Mrs. James Plawlock and children of Rumford, Mrs. Homer Smith, Jr., and children of North-west Bethel, Lawrence Tyler, Miss Patricia Tyler, and Carlton Tyler of Dixfield were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tyler of Dixfield were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner with Mrs. Lewis Smith, Jr., as co-hostess entertained their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stearns.

Joe promptly 20 young people, Mr. and Mrs. David Foster of East Bethel with a Mother's Day dinner. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Clements and daughter, Janice Elaine, Miss Josephine Foster, Miss Barbara Carr, Denny Monk, Dale Smith and Denny Stearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Olva Whitman of South Paris are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Charles Carroll, 7 lb. 11 oz., at the Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway on May 8. The grandparents receiving congratulations in East Bethel are Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis.

Mrs. Walter Hamlin and daughter, Cheryl, Cynthia, Pamela, and Wanda Lou, Mrs. Wallace McDaniels and children of South Waterford were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster.

There will be a meeting of Alder River Grange, No. 145, on Friday, May 15. This will be Past Officers Night. Each officer please get some past officer to take his or her place.

Clarence Remington and sons, Sonny and Alan, with Edward Remington of Livermore Falls spent the week end at C Pond fishing.

George Thurlow of East Hiram was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Al Curtis Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. David Simmons and children of Andover were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacEwen.

Max Eallen and Elgin Tibbitts of Bethel were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Haddon Olson.

Mrs. Evelyn Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Edmunds and daughter, Sandra, of South Paris visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Olson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Baker of Bethel, Mrs. Rose Chase of Hanover visited Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches visited Noyes Rest Home in West Paris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings were in Augusta Sunday.

Mrs. Beatrice Kimball of Lewiston was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings.

The Early Riders 4-H Club are sponsoring a Rummage Sale on May 23 at 1:30 p. m. All bargain hunters are welcome to come and browse around.

Miss Dorothy Bartlett was home from her work in Boston for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coffin were in Norway Sunday.

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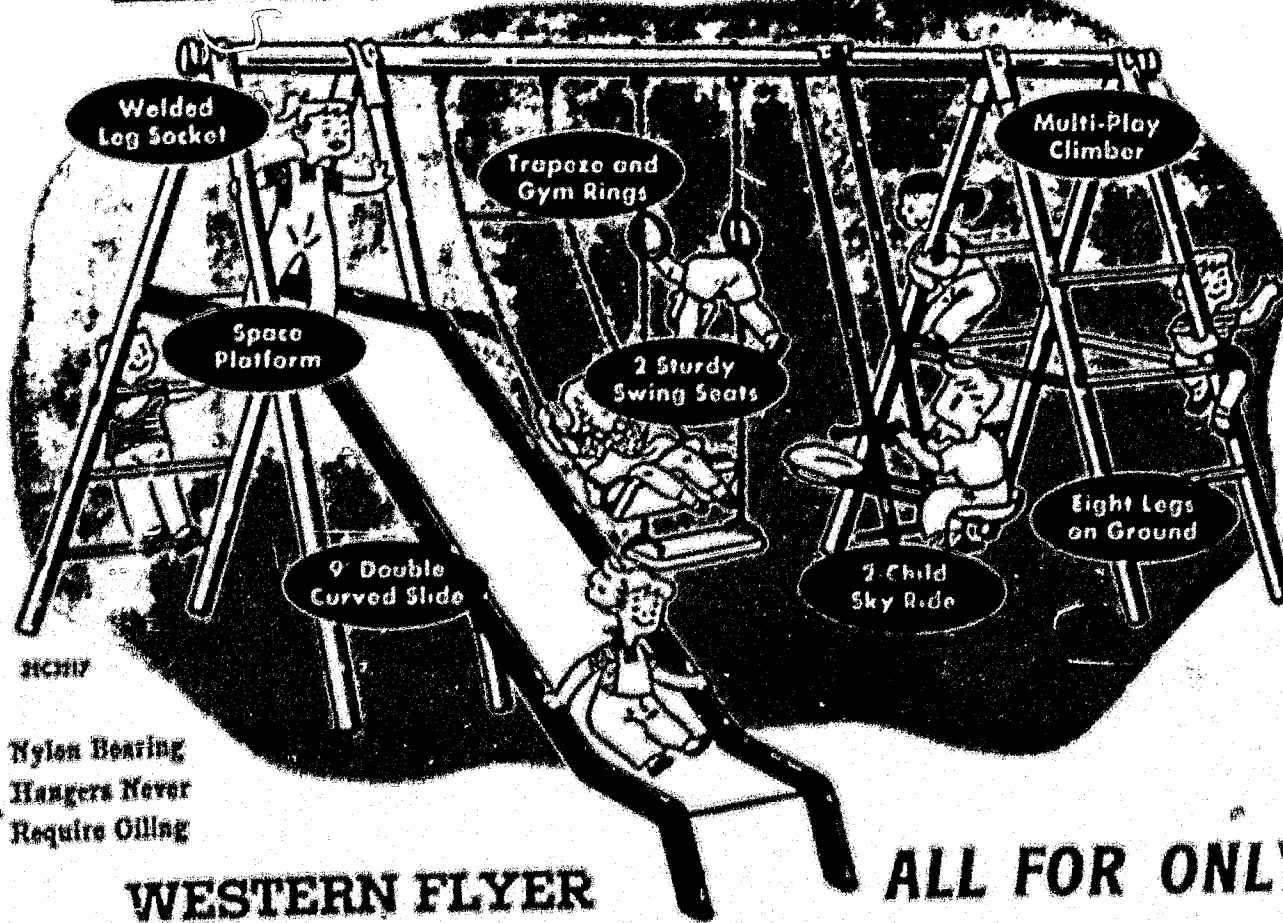
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Mrs. Winifred Bartlett spent Monday P. M. with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and children of Bryant Pond called on Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clark and family, Ernest Cragin and Mrs. Frank Cragin of Westbrook called on the Malcolm Mundt's Sunday.

ed on the Malcolm Mundt's Sunday. Mrs. Cragin remained to spend the week with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamlin and sons of Falmouth Foreside spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis.

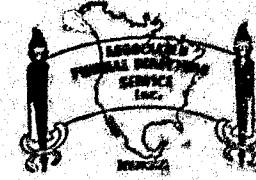
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Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres.

The Universalist Ladies' Circle met Wednesday afternoon, May 6, at the home of Mrs. Albert Russ with eight members present. It was decided to have a food sale on Saturday, May 23, starting at 10 o'clock. After the meeting, a quilt was tied. Voted to meet in June with Mrs. Russ.

A successful Food and Trunkage Sale was held by the D. of U. V. on Thursday, which netted about \$50.00 for Memorial Day expenses. At a special Town Meeting held Monday night, Stanley Morgan was elected to serve on the School Committee until next Town Meeting March, while Mrs. Alta Waterhouse was elected to serve for two years. These fill the offices held by Doten Warner and Clinton Judkins, who recently resigned. It was also voted to accept parcels of land north of the Central School building given by James Billings for the purpose of building a new Manual Arts shop.

The Fire Department was called out late Monday afternoon to fight a woods fire started at the Concord Pond Road. The fire, started beside the road, presumably from a cigarette thrown from a car, was extinguished before too large a territory was burned over.

Francis Mills and Malcolm Packard are attending a convention in Washington, D. C., as representatives of the Ekco Company, Locke Mills.

Russell McAllister spent the week end at Rosebuck Camp, Aulacook Lake, with Philip Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph King are visiting relatives at West Newton, Mass.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cushman were their son, Maynard, a student at Wentworth

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine, from day to day from the twenty-first day of said April. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the nineteenth day of May A. D. 1959, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Theodore Barnes, late of Bethel, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Ellen Barnes, Executrix.

Mary S. Park, late of Bethel, deceased; Fourth Account presented for allowance by Muriel Park Matson, Executrix.

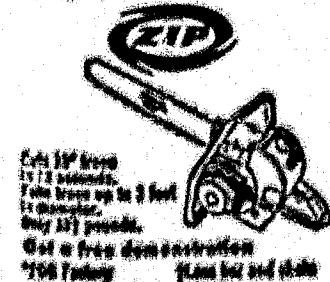
Fannie S. Tyler of Woodstock, an adult person; First Account presented for allowance by Harold G. Tyler, Conservator.

Fred W. Tyler of Woodstock, an adult person; First Account and Second and Final Account presented for allowance by Harold G. Tyler, Conservator.

Fred W. Tyler, late of Woodstock deceased; Petition for the appointment of Harold G. Tyler or some other suitable person as Administrator of the Estate of said deceased, with bond, presented by Harold G. Tyler, son. Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this twenty-first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine.

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Mrs. Richard Mills and Terri Lee are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Masterman, at Dixfield.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Troop 126, Boy Scouts, of Bryant Pond held a Charter Presentation and Court of Honor April 20 at the hall of the sponsor, Franklin Grange, No. 124, P. of H. The charter for the ensuing year was presented by O. E. Edwin Twitchell, South Paris, to Troop I. R. Doten Warner, who in turn presented it to the Sponsor Head, Mrs. Verna Swan, Master of the Grange. Also awarded to Troop 126 was the banner, "Onward for God and My Country," and the 100% "Boy's Life" banner. A. C. D. Lorin Woods, of South Paris spoke on the use of "Boy's Life" in the scouting activities.

Troop 126 Court of Honor was presided over by Scout Master Frank York. Tenderfoot awards were made to Brian Buck, Paul MacKillop and Paul Howe. Second class awards were given to Daniel Torres, Elden Bartlett and Donald Whitman, Jr. Basketry merit badges were awarded Clifford York, Harry Strout and Rodney Burnham. Minkature pins were given to the mothers of the boys. Adult scouts present were Roger Twitchell, A. S. M.; Kenneth Buck, A. S. M.; Frank Packard, Com. Chairman; Wendell Twitchell, Committeeman and Treasurer. A film, "Happy, Game and Fair," was shown by Philip Bolen. Service stars were presented to Stuart Twitchell, Clifford York, Rodney Burnham, Harry Strout, and Gerald Johnson.

Pack 126 put on a Pack Meeting on May 1 at the High School Gym, presided over by Cubmaster Clinton Jenkins.

Post 126 of Locke Mills are starting a training course on Forest Fire Fighting, under a fire warden starting on May 3, for three sessions. Twenty-three Scout officials and their wives attended the Pine Tree Council Banquet at Brunswick Naval Air Base, on Saturday evening, May 2. All from Post 126, Troop 126 and Pack 126.

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UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Corres. — Sunday was such a beautiful day, many people were at their summer camps.

Miss Melanie Bernier visited her cousin, Jeanette Pelchat, in Errol, N. H., over the week end.

Roger Speer went to his home in Detroit, Maine, over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins were Sunday guests of her sister, Mrs. Helen Cousineau, in Phillips.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Judkins were Mrs. Lester Hathaway of Bryant Pond and Mr. and Mrs. John Hathaway and family of Bethel.

Faith Abbott of East Sumner, who has been visiting relatives in town for two weeks, went to Humford Point with Mrs. Thelma Judkins to visit a few days on her return trip home.

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GREENWOOD CITY — GILEAD

Mrs. Collista Morgan, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Morgan have moved to the home of his father, Roy Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cyr of West Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Heath Jr. of Norway were Sunday callers at Mr. and Mrs. Toivo Tammlander's.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hakala and family spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morey's, Norway.

Kenneth Curtis won the Mother's Day cake sponsored by the Parent Teachers Group and made by Mrs. Leonas Holk.

Norton Emmens and daughter were callers, Sunday, at Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan's.

Mrs. Roland Hayes was in Portland on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan called on Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nottage at Norway on Sunday.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Verrill spent a few days at their cottage here from Concord, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Yates and children, Darnita and Eldon, are here for a two weeks vacation.

A vacuum cleaner agent from Berlin, N. H., called on several in this neighborhood one afternoon last week.

Frank Chapman and Ivory Currier of Bethel called on Charles Frost and R. M. Fleet Saturday.

Mrs. Rodley Adams and children called on the Eates Yates and her brother, the Bryce Yates, Sunday from Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Onofrio called at R. M. Fleet's Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gardner were at their camp from Scarborough.

Mrs. Florence Holder, Corres. — Clarke Leighton and family have moved to Lisbon, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean Sr. and son Elmer were in Lancaster, N. H., recently to see her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gillander have returned to their home here after spending the winter in Portland.

Raymond Holder of West Falmouth spent the week end at his home here.

Clayton Bryant attended the meeting and supper of the Dupont-Holmes Post, American Legion at

Their pet cat that has made many trips with them died while they were here.

Win Howe and others are cleaning up the job they began last fall on the Holman Bacon lot.

Marion Kimball has not been feeling too good again lately.

Pfc. David A. Fleet expects to be home about the last of May after he receives his discharge and makes a brief visit with friends in Ohio.

Erle Stowe of Albany was in town Monday.

Mrs. Mary Kendall is visiting her sister in Boston.

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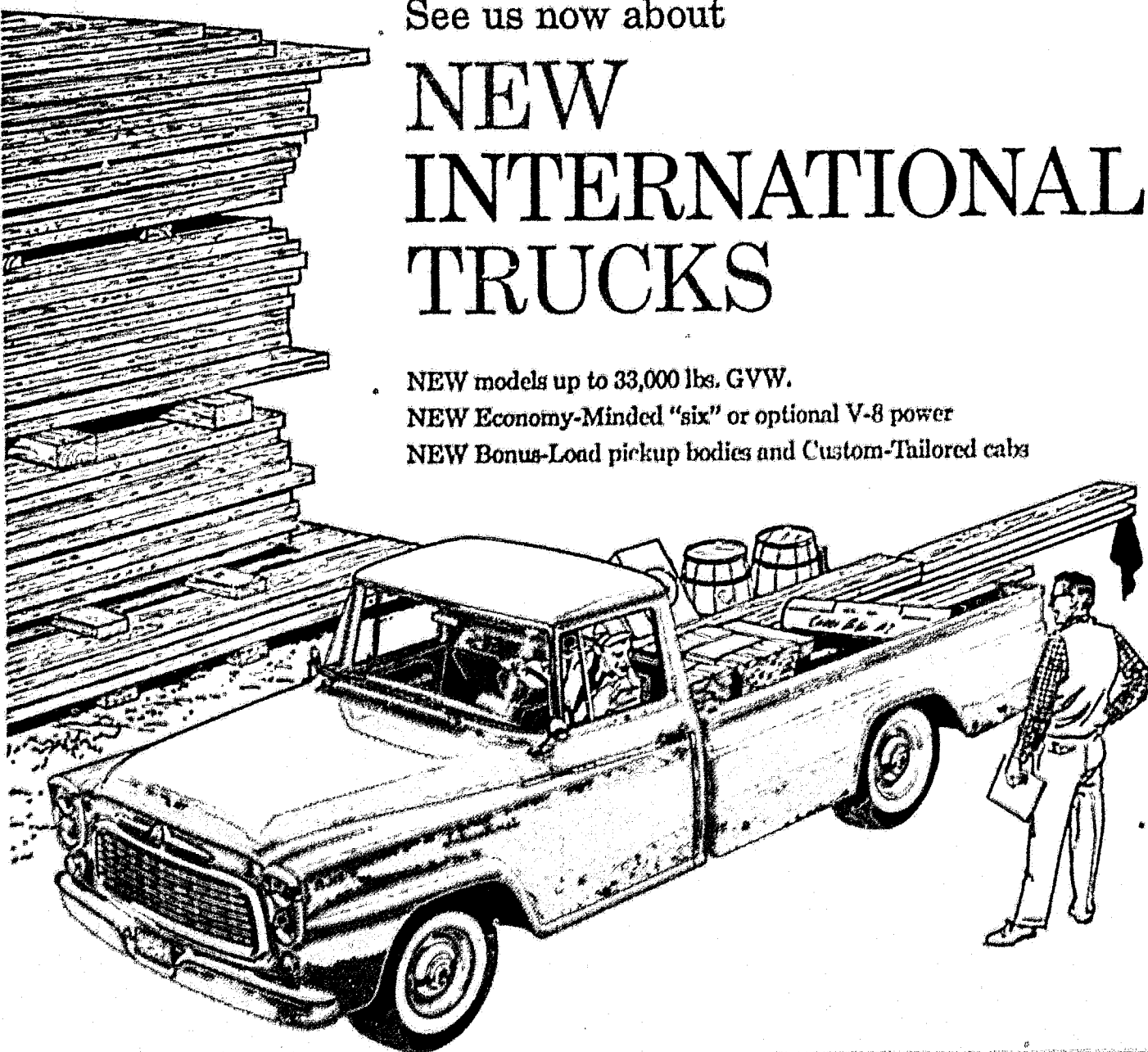
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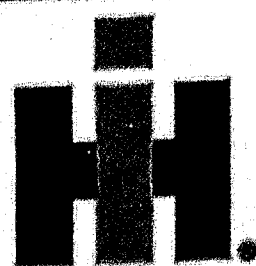
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Miss Roberta Heath of Bangor spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Thelma Witter.

Kimball-Corkum

A quiet wedding took place in Gilead May 2nd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean Sr. when Grace Kimball of Bethel, Maine, became the bride of Ralph Corkum of Locke Mills. Elmer Bean Sr., Justice of the Peace, performing the ceremony. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean Jr. Those attending were Mrs. Marie Corkum, Mr. and Mrs.

Errol Donahue, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sweetser, Thomas and Wendell Sweetser. Mrs. Elmer Bean, Sr.

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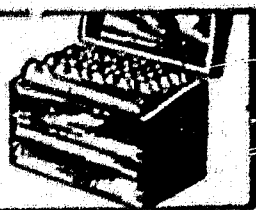
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16 YEARS AGO

Bethel and Orling Club co-operated with the Red Cross to conduct the swimming classes at Songo Pond.

Boyden Kaddy graduated from Harvard Law School.

Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond, received a plaque from the National Grange for outstanding work with the young people.

Miles Brooks purchased the P. C. Andrews cottage on Sunday River.

Death: Edwin R. Berry.

26 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh D. Thurston were given a house warming at their new home on Vernon Street. Alfretha Bartlett, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bartlett, was rescued from drowning in the Androscoggin River by Earl Brooks.

The ice left Songo Pond May 7. A forest fire near Shurtlewath Pond in Mogalloway Plantation burned over 800 acres.

Deaths: Leelan M. Charles, Charles H. Colburn, Mrs. Claribelle Grover.

GOULD ACADEMY

On Wednesday afternoon, May 13, Mrs. Ireland was hostess at a tea for this year's senior girls at the Headmaster's House. Nearly all senior girls attended the tea, the first of the many activities included in the commencement program.

Open House will be held at the Home Economics Cottage on Thursday, May 21, from 3:15-5:15 P. M. Handicraft projects will be on display and refreshments will be served. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Boys' Athletic Banquet will be held in Gehring Hall on Thursday evening, May 14th, at 6:30 p. m. Gould lettermen and their fathers will be guests at their banquet. The speaker for the evening will be Walter Thorenfeldt of Bates College.

We extend wishes for a rapid recovery to Miss Dorothy Reed, Latin and French teacher, who is a patient for a few days at the Rumford Community Hospital.

MANUAL ARTS EXHIBIT MAY 21

The annual Gould Academy Manual Arts Exhibit will be held on Thursday, May 21st. The hours are 2:30 to 5:30 in the afternoon and from 6:30 to 8:00 in the evening.

There will be an exhibit in the Physics Laboratory of some of the work done by the special science class in constructing electronic equipment.

In addition to the above there will be displayed some examples of work done by the forestry class as well as some of the instruments and tools used by the forestry class. The general science classes will also exhibit a fine demonstration which they have been conducting using white laboratory rats.

GOULD PASTIMERS CLING TO TOP SPOT

With the third week of the 1959 season completed South Paris still remains undefeated in first place. The Huskies, after defeating Fryeburg Academy 4-0 in a non league game, came through with an 8-5 victory over Norway to keep them in second place.

The next game for Gould is this Friday when they meet Paris High for the return game. The Huskies' only defeat earlier in the season, and the Huskies have to win this one to stay in competition for the championship.

The following are the standings as of May 13th:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Paris	4	0	1.000
Gould	4	1	.800
Norway	3	3	.500
Mechanic Falls	2	2	.500
Madison	2	4	.333
Hebron	0	5	.000

TRACKMEN WIN EARLY

Gould Academy won its third straight track meet, this time romping up 44 1/2 points to 21 for Paris and 15 for Norway. High The Huskies won 10 of the 15 events and tied for another while they won the low hurdles and tied for the high jump. Norway won the 100 yard dash. Donald Anderson was a double winner for Gould, winning the mile and the 400 yd. races. He also won the 800 yd. race and set a new track record of 2:05 seconds for the 440 and won the 100 yard dash. Pete Hargrave won the high hurdles and tied with Arthur Lincoln in the pole vault. Other Gould winners were Smith in the 500 yd. dash, Hargrave in the 100 yd. dash, and Mark Freeman in the 440 yd. dash. Gould won points for Gould in the 100 yd. dash.

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HEALTH - SERVICE COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS

The Bethel Health and Service Council held a meeting Thursday, May 7, at Ruth Carver Ames' office. Mrs. Ruth Lanni conducted the meeting. Mrs. Agnes Thurston, chairman of the nominating committee, presented the following list of officers which were elected:

President, Dana Douglass; Vice-President, Janet Stowell; Secretary, Connie Thurston; Treasurer, Kimball Ames; Trustees, Jack Trivard, Earl Davis, Donald Christie. The following were elected to the finance committee: Jack Trivard and Charles Heino for three years, Dana Douglass for two years.

A group of people have been chosen to discuss the possibilities for fund raising events. They include: Dana Douglass, Kenneth Ramage, Emily Saunders, Janet Stowell, Rev. Clifford Laws, Eva Bean, Edith Epper, Carolyn Brooks.

BORN

In Norway, May 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Olva Whitman of South Paris, a son, Charles Carroll.

MARRIED

In Bethel, May 9, by Rev. Clifford Laws, David L. Burnham of Hanover and Miss Jeanne Anne Newton of East Bethel.

DIED

In Sweden, May 11, Mrs. Mary Stearns Merrill, native of Bethel, aged 83 years.

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BRYANT POND BAPTISTS HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The annual business meeting of the Bryant Pond Baptist Church was held on Monday evening, May 4, at 7:30. It was voted to recall Rev. Lindahl as pastor for the coming year and the following officers and committees were elected:

Moderator—Rev. G. E. Lindahl
Deacons—Porter Swan, Robert McKee, Sr., Roy Newton, Arthur Farrington

Deaconesses—Verna Swan, Theo McKee, Edna Newton, Leora Farrington, Edith Whitman

Trustees—Arthur Farrington, Robert McKee, Sr., Howard MacKillop, Clifton Bickford

Treasurer—Silvia O. Jenkins
Asst. Treas.—Robert McKee, Jr.

Clerk—Clifton Bickford
Asst. Clerk—Margaret Cary

Collector—Robert McKee, Jr.
Asst. Collector—Edith Whitman

Finance Committee—Clarence Cole, Clifton Bickford, Charles Cary, Homer Carne, Silvia Jenkins, ex officio

Pulpit Committee—Howard MacKillop, Hazel Cary, Roy Newton

Organist—Gertrude Carne
Asst. Organist—Susan Hathaway

Music Committee—Clifton Bickford, Gertrude Carne, Susan Hathaway, Jean Carlin, Michael Hathaway, Charles McAllister

Visiting Committee—Pearl Cole, Louie Sweetser, Akhea Hathaway, Elva Abbott, Clara Whitman, Mildred York

Flower Committee—Marlin Day, Theo McKee, Edna Newton, Florence Twitthell, Winona Bickford

Advisory Board—Deacons and Trustees

Auditor—Rev. G. E. Lindahl

Sunshine Committee—Mildred Buck, Lottie Hemingway, Jeanette Carlin

Gift Committee—Robert McKee, Jr., Leora Farrington, Robert McKee, Jr.

Nominating Committee—Edith Whitman, Leora Farrington, Robert McKee, Jr.

Budget Committee—Robert McKee, Sr., Roy Newton, Clarence Cole

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